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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application prior to examination as follows:

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On Pages 38-40, lines 17-31, 1-31, and 1-6 respectively, please enter the following text:

Figure 11

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Vector map and sequence (SEQ ID NO: 33) of scFv phage display vector pMORPH13_scFv. The vector pMORPH13_scFv is a phagemid vector comprising a gene encoding a fusion between the C-terminal domain of the gene III protein of filamentous phage and a HuCAL scFv. In Figure 11, a vector comprising a model scFv gene (combination of VH1A and Vλ3 (Knappik et al., 2000) is shown. The original HuCAL master genes (Knappik et al. (2000): see Fig. 3 therein) have been constructed with their authentic N-termini: VH1A, VH1B, VH2, VH4 and VH6 with Q (=CAG) as the first amino acid. VH3 and VH5 with E (=GAA) as the first amino acid. Vector pMORPH13_scFv comprises the short FLAG peptide sequence (DYKD)